



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
REQUEST FOR FILING NATIONAL PATENT APPLICATION**

Under 35 USC 111(a) and Rule 53(h)

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

WITH SIGNED DECLARATION

PATENT APPLICATION

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NON REISSUE
NON PCT NAT PHASE

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Sir

Herewith is the PATENT APPLICATION of
Inventor(s): HAGANO et al.

Title FUEL TANK AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

Atty. Dkt.: P 290766 T36-142915M/AIO
M# Client Ref

including:

Date: March 5, 2002

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designated the US and that International Application [REDACTED] was [REDACTED] was not published under PCT Article 21(2) in English.

7. See the attached Preliminary Amendment, which amends the specification to claim benefit of the above listed US application(s).

8. Attached is an assignment and cover sheet. Please return the recorded assignment to the undersigned
9. Assignee (optional):

Address _____

10. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e) (d)(2)(E)(b), based on filing in JAPAN

13. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/363(b) based on filing in JAPAN

(country)			
Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1) 2001-064929	March 8, 2001	(2) 2001-090742	March 27, 2001
(3)	(4)		
(5)	(6)		
(7)	(8)		
(9)		<input type="checkbox"/> See 3rd page for additional priorities	

12. _____ 2 (No.) Certified copy (copies): attached; previously filed (date) _____
 in U.S. Application No. _____ / filed on _____

13. Small entity status is not claimed; is claimed (**Pre-filing confirmation required**)
 13(a). Attended: _____ (No.) Small Entity Statement(s) (since 9/8/00 small entity statement(s) **not essential** to make claim)
 13(b). See **NONPUBLICATION REQUEST** under Rule 213(a) attached (Pat-258)

14. **DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

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(1)		(4)	
(2)		(5)	
(3)		(6)	

15. This application is being filed under Rule 53(b)(2) since an inventor is named in the enclosed Declaration who was not named in the prior application.

16. Attached:

17. Preliminary Amendment:

THE FOLLOWING FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILED LESS ANY ABOVE CANCELLED

	Large/Small Entity		Fee Code
18. Basic Filing Fee		\$740/\$370	\$740
19. Total Effective Claims	15	minus 20 = *0	x \$18/\$9 = + 0
20. Independent Claims	3	minus 3 = *0	x \$84/\$42 = + 0
21. If any proper multiple dependent claim (ignore improper) is present, add (Leave this line blank if this is a reissue application)	If answer is zero or less, enter "0".		
		+ \$280/\$140	+ 0
22. <input type="checkbox"/> If "non-English" box 2 is X'd, add Rule 17(k) processing fee	TOTAL FILING FEE ENCLOSED = \$740		
23. <input type="checkbox"/> If "assignment" box 8 is X'd, add recording fee	+ \$130	+ 0	139
24. <input type="checkbox"/> Attached is a Petition/Fee under Rule No.	+ \$40	+ 40	581
25. <input type="checkbox"/> Attached is a Petition/Fee under Rule No.	+ \$130	+ 0	122
26.	TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED = \$780		

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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal form is filed.

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